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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

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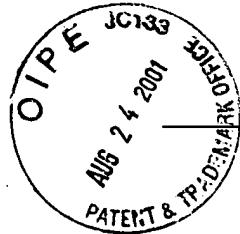
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Applicants : Koichi Mukasa, et al.

App. No. : 09/851,261

Filed : May 8, 2001

For : A LASER WELDING
HEAD-CONTROLLING
SYSTEM, A LASER
WELDING HEAD AND A
METHOD FOR
CONTROLLING A LASER
WELDING HEAD

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Dear Sir:

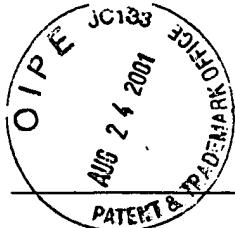
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(f), which was mailed by the Office on July 5, 2001, enclosed are:

- (X) A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- (X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- (X) A Notice to File Missing Parts.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) Fees as calculated below:

SURCHARGE 37 CFR 1.16(e) \$130.00

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37 CFR 1.16(e) \$ 65.00

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(X) A check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Katsuhiro Arai".

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